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David,

Good morning. Thank you for coordinating with all of us.

I am available on Wednesday at 10 am to participate for Walmart. My email and phone number are listed below.

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To the Parties in these Dockets:

As you are aware, the Settlement Agreements are on the Commission Agenda for decision at this week's Commission meeting. I apologize for the short notice, but the Commission would propose a **Virtual Settlement Hearing to be held at 10 am on Wednesday, December 16, 2020**. Of course, there is no pre-filed testimony in the Docket, but there is interest in having the two Duke Companies and any parties that want to participate explain the Settlement Agreements to the

Commission. Questions that have already come up include what factors make up the Total Resource Cost Test and what factors make up the Utility Cost Test, and more explanation as to the proposed change from the TRC test to the UTC for evaluating new programs, and questions about how the Portfolio Performance and the Program Return Incentives work. Although the materials provided give "word" explanations, it would be helpful if the Company could provide examples with numbers to illustrate the words. The Commissioners may have other questions about the Settlement Agreements as well. The Companies can also present any other information that they deem is relevant to aid in Commission understanding of the proposed Settlements.

I would ask the parties to let me know as soon as possible if you will participate, and who will participate from the various parties. Also, please furnish telephone and e-mail information of any participants for Webex purposes. Thanks,

David Butler

Special Counsel